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- **\$770** Statutory basic filing fee.
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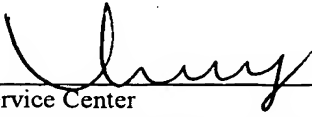
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Docket No.: 244075US0

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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/689,858

Applicants: Alain YANG, et al.

Filing Date: October 22, 2003

For: INSULATION CONTAINING A MIXED LAYER OF  
TEXTILE FIBERS AND OF ROTARY AND/OR  
FLAME ATTENUATED FIBERS, AND PROCESS  
FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application – Return Copy**

**Filing of Declaration Under 37 CFR 1.53 (f)**

**Declaration (Executed, 3 pp.)**

Our credit card payment form in the amount of **\$900.00** is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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SIR:

Responsive to the notification dated September 29, 2004, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR  
1.53(f), Applicants submit herewith a Rule 63 Declaration.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable  
action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully Submitted,

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